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RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE FROM DNESTRO-ROMANIA

German and Austrian Attempts Disposed of, Claim Is Made, and Slow but Steady Progress Is Being Made Westward.

REVIVED ACTIVITY IN CENTRAL POLAND

In Western Theatre Anglo-French Armies Are Doing Attacking, but Apparently With Little Effect. Sinking of Submarine Announced.

London, March 5.—Except in the central Beskid Pass of the Carpathians, where the fierce Austrian attacks have moderated somewhat, the Russians are now on the offensive along the length of their extremely long line from the Baltic Sea to the Rumanian border. Apparently, they have definitely disposed of the German and Austrian attempts to outflank their two extreme wings and, having turned, are making slow but steady progress westward.

After retiring to the Dniester river, the Russians again have crossed into Bukowina, and are officially reported to be back in Czernowitz, which military men say is extremely probable, as they already had captured Sadagora, a few miles to the northeast of the capital. Further to the west they are again in possession of Stanislaw and have crossed the Lukva river, a forward step which, in the opinion of military experts, probably will compel the Austrians to evacuate Bukowina.

In the Beskid, Tulkolha and Czech passes, the Austro-Germans are in possession of strong positions whence they are continually attacking the Russians, while in the western passes, especially the Lukva, the Russians are on the Hungarian slopes, where the fighting has degenerated into trench warfare. The Russians are sending large reinforcements to this southern line.

The Russians recently, culminating in the occupation today of Stanislaw, which was evacuated a fortnight ago. Serious battles are reported between the Mazolaboritz pass in the Carpathians and the River San, where the Austrian advance is said to have been checked.

In the vicinity of Salinka, midway of this line, two Austrian regiments are said to have been wiped out by the Russian machine guns.

During the fighting on March 2 and 3 the Austrians charged the Russian lines repeatedly at times reaching the Russian trenches.

Austrian officers captured during the fighting are reported to have said that their losses never had been heavier.

At Lutowski, just east of the San, and 35 miles south of Przemyśl on the night of March 2, the Russians made four attacks on the Austrians which are said to have been repulsed with heavy losses. The surrender of Stanislaw was preceded during the period from February 21 to March 3 by heavy fighting, the Austrians having heavily fortified Halicz, a short distance to the north and also the valleys of the Lomnica and Lukva rivers. Here, it is asserted, the Russians captured a large number of guns and rapid fire, many officers and men and a quantity of stores.

Conditions in Laon.
Paris, March 5.—Accurate information which has reached Paris concerning conditions in Laon, department of the Aisne, which is occupied by the Germans, conveys no suggestion that the treatment of the French population is inhumane. A large number of civilians are compelled to report each day to the German military authorities and others twice weekly.

Senator Erment, mayor of Laon, has been much to ameliorate conditions among the French. Each inhabitant has a right daily to 250 grams of bread, "category K," which is described as scarcely edible; 20 grams of meat and 60 grams of butter. There is plenty of sugar on sale, and a sufficient supply of gas, but almost no oil or coal.

Reports from Laon say that shops which were abandoned by French merchants when the Germans took the city, have been returned to the Germans in competition with the local tradesmen.

Reprisals By the Allies.
London, March 5.—The Weekly Nation discusses in its leading article the proposed reprisals by the allies against shipping to and from Germany and asks with right emphasis whether the Germans leave to import dyes from Germany when England herself has issued licenses to her traders to buy dyes from the source.

"It seems clear to us that if the navy receives a general order to arrest all neutral shipping on suspicion of carrying goods of German origin or destination for their cargoes, our prize court and our foreign office will not lead uneventful lives," the Nation says.

Russians Capture Many Prisoners.
London, March 5.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Reuters Telegram agency, sends the following dispatch: "It is announced that during the operations in Stanislaw (Galicia) between February 21 and March 3, the Russians made 153 officers and 15,522 men prisoners, captured 59 guns, sixty-two tanks, captured 59 horses and numerous trains."

SUMMARY OF WAR NEWS.

Hard fighting in Northern Poland continues between the Russians and the Germans all along the front between the Niemen and Vistula rivers, and also between the British, French and Belgians and the Germans on the western front at various places from the sand dunes in Belgium to the crests of the Vosges mountains.

Victories for the allies are claimed in both the eastern and western fronts in the latest reports made by the Russian and French war correspondents. Progress for the Allies in the capture of ground at various places on the Niemen-Vistula line, and also the taking of numerous German officers and men as prisoners and the capture of German war stores are recorded by Petrograd.

Two entire companies of Germans—one of the machine gun arm of the service and the other of the Prussian guards—have fallen into the hands of the French during fierce engagements, respectively to the north of Arras and in the Champagne district, according to Paris. In addition, the French statement says some 650 yards of trenches in the region of Meul and trenches and ravines to the northwest of Beaune were captured by the French in fighting in which the German losses are described as having been extremely high. Twelve attempts by the Germans to sap allied advanced trenches in the Sanddunes of Belgium were repulsed.

The fighting which has been in progress in the Carpathian passes for several weeks has lessened in violence. Vienna reports engagements in some sections, but adds that on the whole the situation remains unchanged. The capture of Stanislaw, Galicia, and the capture of 150 German officers and 15,522 men, together with guns, horses and equipment, is recorded by Petrograd.

A newspaper dispatch from Bucharest, Roumania, asserts that Austrians have evacuated Czernowitz, the capital of Bukowina.

Nothing new concerning the attempts of the allied fleet to force the Dardanelles is at hand. Constantinople articles coming by way of Berlin reiterate that the damage thus far done to the Turkish fortifications by the shells of the allied warships is not as great as all reports of the bombardment has indicated. It is declared that eye-witnesses of the attacks have reported that several of the allied warships have been badly damaged by the Turkish fire.

Still another German submarine is declared to have met with disaster at the hands of an allied ship. The French admiral asserts that a submarine of the U-2 class was struck in the English Channel by three shells from a French cruiser and disappeared.

French reserves are being sent by the Germans from Wurttemberg and Bavaria into Alsace, according to Swiss advices.

Berlin reports by wireless that a French ammunition steamer bound for Newport went by mistake into Ostend harbor and was captured by the Germans. The error in making Ostend instead of Newport, the German army headquarters says, was due to the crew of the steamer being intoxicated.

On the submission of new evidence by Germany, the state department at Washington has begun an investigation of the claim that dum-dum bullets are being manufactured in the United States.

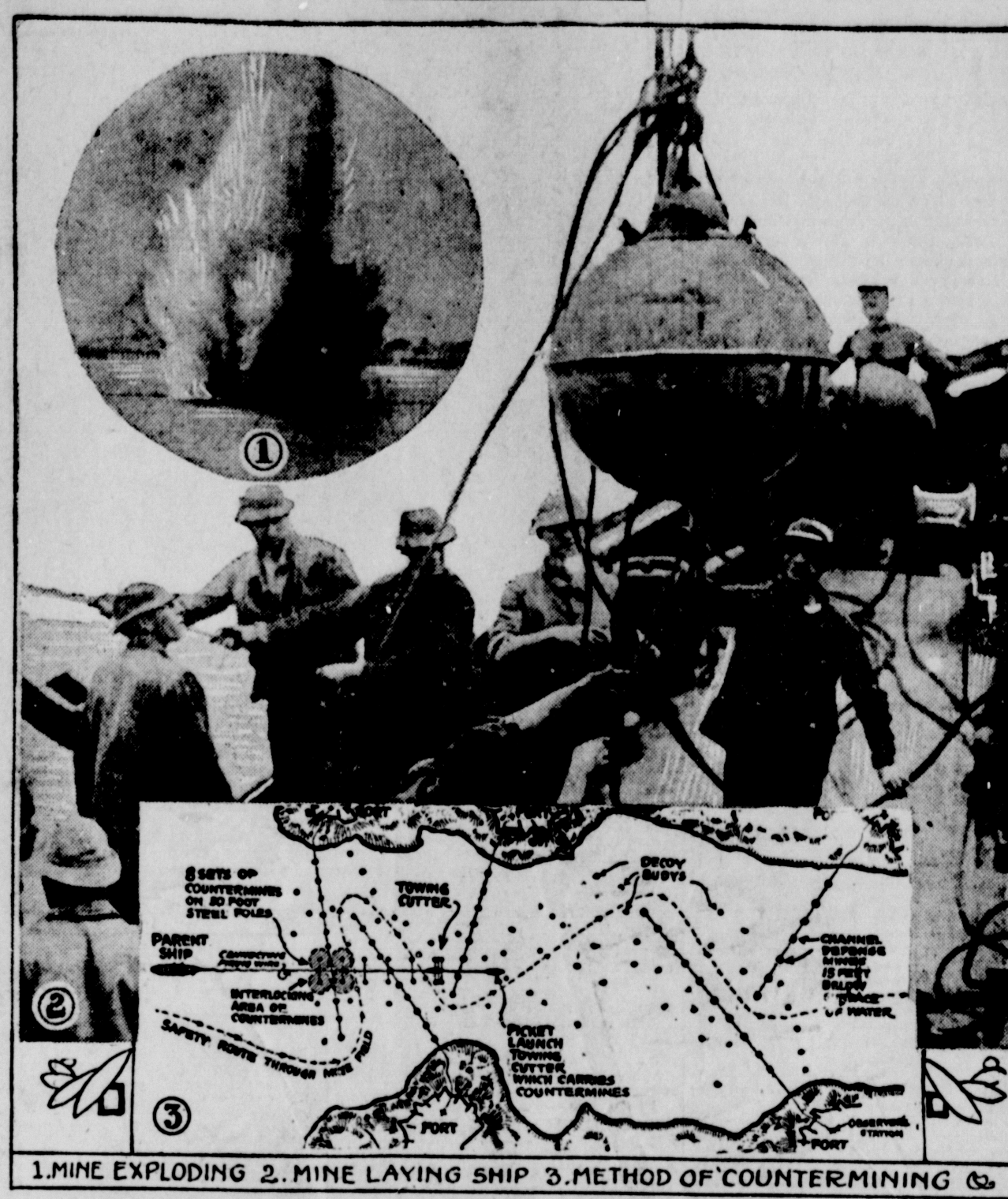
Society Arraigned for Its Neglect of the Child

Buffalo, N. Y., March 5.—Society was arraigned in resolutions adopted today by the Religious Education association for its neglect of the child. Its rights to be well-born, to health, to education and to the religious heritage of the race are denied, the resolutions declare, and powers for growth and for human happiness are being turned into commercial assets.

"We cannot save ourselves unless

we save our children," the resolutions continue. "We declare that the situation calls upon our whole people to repent and to resolve that through homes and churches, through civic and industrial relations, through education and through the right of citizenship the full rights of the child shall be recognized and secured."

In the European War Zone



BRITISH STEAMER ARRIVES WITH CREW OF SCHOONER BAKER

AMERICAN VESSEL SINKS OFF
STIRRUP LIGHT NEAR THE
BAHAMA ISLANDS.

Port Arthur, Tex., March 5.—The British tank steamer Russian Prince arrived this morning bringing the captain and crew of the American schooner Horatio L. Baker, which was bound from New York to Tampa, with a cargo of coal.

The vessel started leaking when three days out of New York and sunk on March 1, fourteen miles off Stirrup light near the Bahama Islands. Those rescued by the Russian Prince were Captain M. C. Tomlin, Goshen, N. J.; Mate Fred Heidenburg of Sweden; C. L. Johnson, cook, Sweden; Avery, engine man, Saba Island; Peter Downs, United States; John Graman, Russia; Charles Johnston, Sweden; Louis Quardt, Germany, and Roy Bailey of Nova Scotia.

The rescued men lost all of their possessions. Some of them were barefooted. The tanker mast of the schooner broke off and let a great quantity of water into the hold of the boat and one of the hatches came loose and opened the way for "tons of water," expressed by one of the seamen. The vessel listed and finally sank.

The Russian Prince, under command of Captain G. D. Durrant, was in sight when the schooner went down. The men on board took to a life boat and used oil to quiet the waves which were running high.

78 Bodies Recovered
From Layland Mines

Hinton, W. Va., March 5.—Seventy-eight bodies had been recovered late tonight from the workings of the Layland mines, where an explosion Tuesday entombed more than 170 miners, of whom only ten escaped alive. Most of the bodies recovered were found in natural positions and only one was mutilated. Various estimates of the number of victims agree that the total will reach 150.

Germany Has Bread.
Berlin, March 5.—By wireless to Sayville, L. I.—The Overseas News agency gave out the following statement today: "In the Prussian diet the minister of agriculture declared that on the present basis of allotment of flour and bread Germany would not only be sufficiently provided, but probably would be able to accumulate a reserve for all eventualities."

NEW WACO CONCERN.
Austin, Tex., March 5.—Chartered today: Peerless Piano company, Waco; capital stock \$3,000. Incorporators: C. H. Machen, M. E. Hulsey and William Williams.

Mutual Investment company, Waco; capital stock \$20,000. Incorporators: W. E. Darden, Ralph Blair and A. I. Cammack.

Two Gang Members Caught in Chicago

Chicago, March 5.—Two men believed by the police to be members of the gang of five safebreakers who dug their way into the Branch bank of Montreal at New Westminster, B. C., September 15, 1911, and escaped with \$17,000 in Canadian money, were arrested here today. They are George Webster and John Bingham.

Suspicion was directed toward the men when they entered a private bank and attempted to have \$300 in Canadian currency changed to American bills. The police were called and as they entered the two men drew revolvers and started for the side door.

Leather Exportation Prohibited.
Washington, March 5.—Exportation of leather from Australia has been prohibited, except on consent of the trade minister, according to a cablegram received at the department of commerce today from Consul General Skinner in London. The consul general at Christiania cabled that Norway had placed an embargo on copper and brass plates, bars, bolts, spikes, nails, pipes and foundry pieces.

THE WEATHER

EVERY TIME I SEE
THE JONES DOG—I GO
BY IN A HURRY—NEVER
KNOW WHEN HE'S LIABLE
TO TOUCH YOU FOR A
BONE TILL
PAY DAY

Voluntary Forecast
Fair and somewhat warmer is the prediction today by Dr. Block, volunteer observer and optician. Dr. Block predicted that it would not freeze Thursday night, though the government forecast it. The government prediction was for frost this morning, but Dr. Block says he does not believe that will materialize.

Local Temperatures.
Temperatures for the 24 hours ending at 7 o'clock last night: Maximum, 54 at 4 p. m.; minimum, 35 at 7 a. m.; barometer, 30; humidity 48; wind passage 128 miles, highest 14 miles an hour at 8:30 p. m.

Government Forecast.
East Texas—Fair Saturday; unsettled Sunday.
West Texas—Fair Saturday and Sunday.
Louisiana—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

FERGUSON'S REQUEST FOR MORE RANGERS GIVEN TO FUNSTON

EXECUTIVE ASKS FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FOR \$30,000 TO HIRE 30 ADDITIONAL BORDER MEN.

Austin, Tex., March 5.—Governor Ferguson's request that the federal government allow \$30,000 for the appointment of thirty additional state rangers for the Rio Grande border protection has been referred by the secretary of war to Gen. Frederick Funston at Fort Sam Houston. General Funston, in the absence of General Pershing, called Governor Ferguson by long distance telephone today to say that the war department will be glad to co-operate with the state government in any way possible and that a decision will be reached in the matter just as soon as General Funston returns to Fort Sam Houston. From the conference up to this time it would appear that the enlargement of the ranger force seems preferable to the placing of a troop patrol along the border.

Governor Ferguson's letter to President Wilson suggesting that the United States government should bear a portion of the border patrol expense went forth several days ago. The telegram received from Secretary Garrison today reads:

"The president has conferred with me concerning the action of marauding bands crossing over from Mexico into Texas and running off with cattle and committing other depredations. Under the circumstances, I am sending telegraphic orders to commanding general of the southern department at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, who is General Funston, directing him to do whatever is proper under the circumstances with a view of preventing such acts. The general has been directed to get into communication with you with a view of most effectively handling the situation."

(Signed) "LINDLEY GARRISON," "Secretary of War."

Former Senator Dies.
Los Angeles, Cal., March 5.—Thomas R. Bard, aged 74, former United States senator from California, died today at his home at Hueneme, Cal., while sleeping, after a heart attack which he suffered last night. He retired from congress in 1906.

Portugal's Building Dedicated.
San Francisco, March 5.—Portugal's building at the Panama-Pacific exposition was dedicated today. The building is in the Manueline style of the sixteenth century and with its exhibits represents an expenditure of \$500,000.

"HONEY BOY" EVANS DEAD.
Baltimore, March 5.—George ("Honey Boy") Evans, the minstrel, died at a hospital here today. He came here for an operation several days ago. Evans had been suffering from stomach trouble for some months. Lately he had been touring the south with his company until three weeks ago.

SERIOUS SITUATION IN MEXICO CONFRONTS PRESIDENT WILSON

CAPITAL OF THE NATION OF CONFLICT ON THE VERGE OF STARVATION WITH CARRANZA'S COMMANDER REFUSING INTERNATIONAL RELIEF.

STORES ORDERED TO RE-OPEN

General Obregon, Under Threat of Punishment, Three Hundred Natives Are Imprisoned and People Are Living in Terror—Will Not Prevent Looting and Pillaging.

Washington, March 5.—President Wilson was confronted tonight with one of the most serious and perplexing developments that has arisen in the Mexican situation. Mexico City is on the verge of starvation.

General Obregon, the Carranza commander, refuses to permit an international relief committee, composed of wealthy members of the foreign colony, to succor the needy.

"Mexico needs no foreign aid," the general is reported to have said.

All merchants who closed their stores have been ordered to reopen, under threat of punishment. Three hundred of them, all Mexicans, have been imprisoned. The people of the city are living in terror of another evacuation, since Obregon has announced that he will not prevent looting or pillaging for food or money.

The Brazilian, British, Spanish and Italian ambassadors called separately at the state department today, bringing pessimistic reports of the situation which corresponded to reports already received by the American government. The foreign diplomats suggested no solution.

Secretary Bryan announced that he had sent an urgent telegram to American Consul Silliman with instructions to lay the situation earnestly before General Carranza, so that General Obregon might be directed to accept the proffered aid of the foreign residents. Freight service is suspended between Mexico City and Vera Cruz. Transportation facilities for relief purposes are being withheld by General Obregon on the ground of military necessity.

President Wilson was advised of all the facts late today as revealed in official messages and the reports from the foreign ambassadors. Tonight the president was reported to be studying various phases of the question closely.

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Talk of a limited expedition similar to the one that went to the relief of foreign legations at Peking during the Boxer uprising was again heard in official quarters, where it was generally admitted that a grave condition of affairs was threatening to arise.

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"City With a Conscience", Says Hiram House Manager

"I believe in a fellow being decent. I will go further and say that I believe in a fellow being decent Sundays."

"Why—how—what do you mean?"

"I simply mean that I have no use for the fellow who sits around Sundays with his hands folded across his lap, looking wor-broke or lonesome."

"Then—how decent?"

"By doing something—going somewhere—taking recreation—exercise—using his mind and body—resting—enjoying life."

"But how?"

"That's what I am in Waco for—to tell the people how. Tell them what they have and what they need."

The George W. Bellamy, manager of Hiram House, Cleveland, Ohio, in a brief way, explained his mission in this city. He had in mind the social side of Waco—the human side of the city and its people, and the human side that every city's people have.

This morning at 10:30 o'clock, at their invitation, Mr. Bellamy will meet with directors of the Chamber of Commerce, representatives of the federation of clubs and representatives of other organizations. The meeting will be in the Chamber of Commerce apartments. There he will explain in a general way the conditions in Waco socially and will suggest in a general way the remedy.

For a moment he delved into details, avoiding details of "our city," it was termed, to give some facts and figures of other cities, many of them same as Waco, and to show the social side of Hiram House, the appearance of being wonderfully sincere, interested in life, a keen student of men and things, doubly well versed in his life study and a man who knows actual conditions from experience and association. Quick discerning eyes and raised forehead bear out well the description accorded him of "human dynamo."

TEXAS LEGISLATURE APPROVES PRINTING TEXT BOOKS AT HOME

NORDHAUS BILL ENGROSSED IN HOUSE WITHOUT SPEECH OR DILATORY MOTION AND WITH BUT ONE AMENDMENT, THAT WITH REFERENCE TO PRICE.

PENITENTIARY MEASURE PASSES

Grindstaff and Lowelling Make Hard Fight to Amend Bill Forbidding Working Prisoners More Than 12 Hours—Aransas County Authorized to Issue \$300,000 Bonds.

Austin, March 5.—Printing of school text books within the limits of the state of Texas is the sentiment of the Texas house of representatives. The Nordhaus bill providing for so printing Texas school books was engrossed this afternoon without a speech or dilatory motion and only one amendment was adopted and that provides that no text book shall be adopted or contracted for within the state at a higher price than the same book, of like quality, can be had outside of the state. This amendment was by Laney and no negatives were heard when it was submitted to the house.

The proponents of the measure accepted the amendment because, they say, they are willing that a limit should be placed upon the prices charged by the Texas publishers. They contend that nothing in the law permits the adoption of books manufactured outside the state.

Proponents of the bill will ask tomorrow for suspension of the rules so that the bill can be passed finally. The penitentiary law was finally passed after a fight by Grindstaff, Lowelling and others to amend it so that prisoners could not be worked for more than twelve hours on any given day. The bill provides for an average day of twelve hours during the year.

A hot fight was made by Lowelling to prevent the obtaining of a two-thirds vote on the bill appropriating \$25,000 for the employment of counsel and experts by the railroad commission at the Dallas rate hearing, but after reconsidering the vote twice 163 votes were finally obtained against 17 in opposition.

The house engrossed the bill authorizing Aransas county to issue bonds in the amount of \$300,000 for the purpose of building a causeway.

The Lattimore bill regarding the sale of drugs and cocaine was killed, the house refusing to engross it 50 to 52.

The Dove-Lewelling resolution amending the constitution to lend the credit of the state by the issuance of bonds for the purchase of land to be sold to actual settlers, failed of a two-thirds on final passage, 77 to 43, which was reconsidered and spread on the journal.

The committee on education reported favorably the bill for the election of county school superintendents by county.

Opponents of the Clark racing bill made a poll of the membership and claim they have 80 votes against the measure and that there is no chance of its passing.

Governor Ferguson signed the land tenant bill, and it is now the law. It is the first platform demand to become a law.

All that the Gibson bill is dead in the regular session, but it will be submitted at the special session, is shown in correspondence which passed between Governor Ferguson and Senator Gibson.

Gibson, in his support of a bill to modify the Robertson law is evidenced by his suggestion that the provisions of the Gibson bill be embodied in a bill to be presented at the special session. He will send a copy of the matter of submitting this as one of the pieces of legislation for which

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ARBITRATION HEARS ECHOES OF COMMISSION

TESTIMONY OF ROCKEFELLER,
PERKINS, UNDERMEYER AND
BRANDEIS IN PROBE.

THE REMEDY FOR UNREST

Profit Sharing, It Is Declared, Will
Eliminate the Industrial
Troubles.

Chicago, March 5.—Excerpts of testimony given by John D. Rockefeller, George W. Perkins, Samuel Undermyer, Louis Brandeis and others before the commission on industrial relations at New York recently was quoted in the western railroad wage arbitration today by W. J. Lauck, a witness for the engineers and firemen, who are seeking higher wages.

Mr. Perkins was quoted as saying that profit sharing is the primary remedy for industrial unrest. Mr. Undermyer to the effect that over capitalization reacts injuriously to labor, and Mr. Brandeis as saying that labor does not receive its fair share of the immense profits brought about by the introduction of machinery. Mr. Rockefeller's reported testimony was that he would be glad to have all employees of his properties as patrons sharing in the profits.

Mr. Lauck closed with an analysis of certain railroad companies, the alleged over-capitalization of which, he declared, diverted revenues from legitimate channels.

"Some of it," remarked Warren S. Stone, of the engineers, "has gone to buy titles for ambitious daughters and some for silken hangings in American racing stables abroad."

James M. Sheehan, attorney for the railroads, stated that he did not consider the analysis germane to the arbitration and waived cross examination.

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ting the irresponsible element to commit wanton depredations.

Just why the 300 merchants were imprisoned has not been revealed. They were reported to have appealed to Obregon for relief from a heavy tax which he imposed on them. Secretary Bryan said that so far as the state department had been advised, all the Mexican priests arrested for failure to contribute funds demanded by Obregon were still in prison.

The international relief committee, which raised about 250,000 pesos, was not permitted to aid the poor, according to official dispatches, because General Obregon declined to accept funds restricted to any definite use. He desired that the foreigners pay the tax recently levied, but revoked on representations from foreign governments without questioning how it would be used.

The latest decree put into effect by Obregon provides that all merchants not only must pay their taxes, under threat of imprisonment, but that any person refusing to accept Carranza fiat money will be imprisoned. Beyond saying that conditions were much worse than they had ever been in Mexico City, the various foreign diplomats who called at the state department did not discuss the situation or indicate the attitude of their governments.

All of their ministers at Mexico City have instructions to withdraw from the capital at their own discretion, but in the circumstances they are desirous of remaining so as to exert what influence they can for the relief of the starving population.

At the request of the government of Guatemala, the state department inquired after the safety of the Guatemalan minister to Mexico and learned that he was safe.

The difficulties of the situation, from the viewpoint of administration officials, are numerous. General Villa and his forces and the Zapata faction, according to official reports, seem to be rapidly gaining ground in the military campaign, but their plans have for their object at present the domination of other parts of Mexico, particularly Tampico and the northern part of the country.

The presence in Vera Cruz of Charles A. Douglas, an intimate friend of Secretary Bryan and a legal adviser in Washington of General Carranza, it is believed in state quarters, may assist the negotiations with the state department has instituted to obtain a solution of affairs at Mexico City, but officials were not optimistic, because of Carranza's refusal heretofore to heed representations from the Washington government.

Enrique C. Lorente, Washington representative of General Villa and the convention government, gave out the following summary of messages on the military situation:

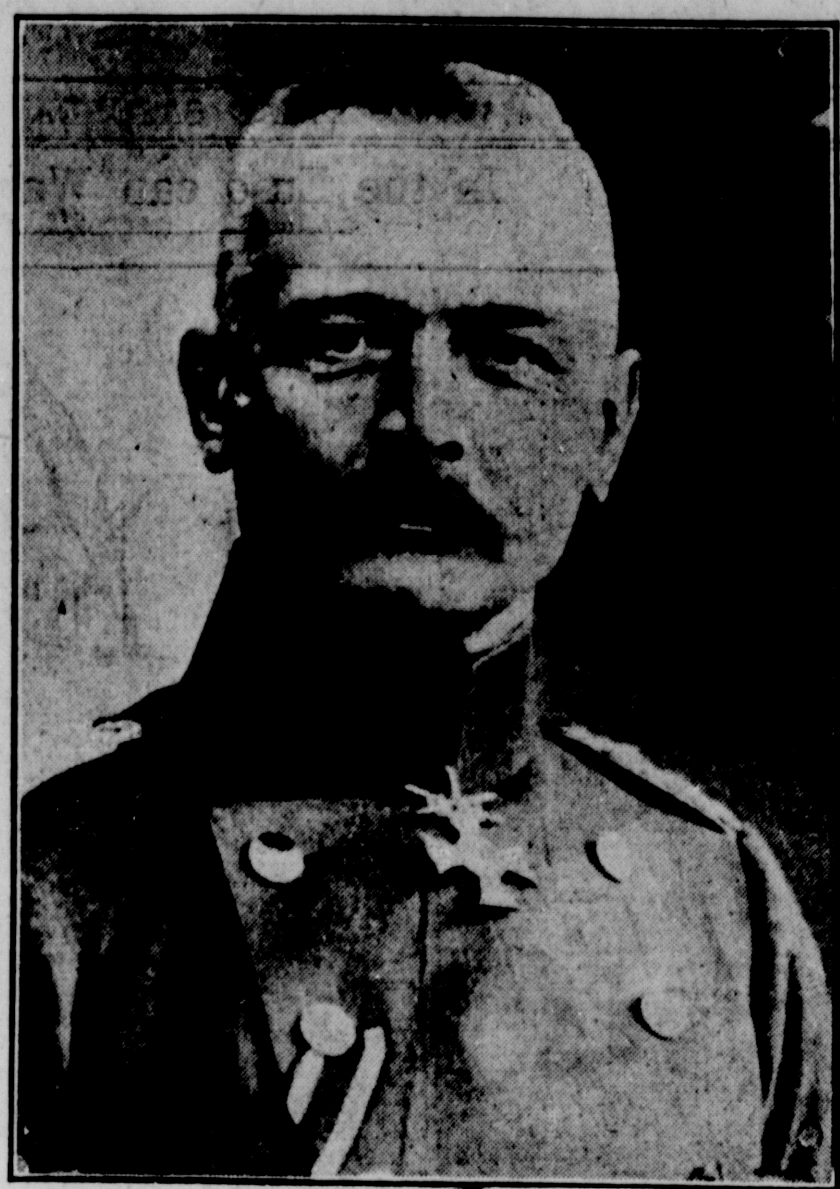
"General Angeles telegraphed from Monterey that the campaign was progressing rapidly. Coal fields ours. Maclovio Herrera defeated there by our Generals Hernandez and Pereyra, encephaly suffering many casualties, including loss of his field artillery and two machine guns. Within a few days we will have all the fuel we need for transportation purposes. In Monterey all is tranquil and enemy evidently has not resolved to attack."

"A message from Gen. Roque Gonzalez Garza, president of the convention government, dated the 26th ultimo, has reached General Villa at Guadalajara in which it is stated that the convention forces occupied Xochimilco, Guadalupe, Tacubaya, San Angel and all smaller suburbs around Mexico City. Some of the troops had even had skirmishes with Carranza forces inside the city."

"Salvatierra and Alcanbaro, two important places in the state of Guanajuato, have been captured by the convention General Arroyo. The enemy fled, abandoning their military stores, leaving the entire northern part of the state free from Carranza forces."

Apparently there is no prospect of the embargo on port of Progreso in Yucatan being raised. A report to the state department today said it was the intention of Carranza to keep the port closed and that two gunboats would be sent there to take the place of the Progreso, which was blown up a few days ago. The gunboat Bravo has gone to Tampico from Vera Cruz and not to Progreso, as previously reported, it was announced.

Chief of German General Staff



General Ehrlich von Falkenhayn, chief of the general staff which is directing Germany's moves in the European struggle. The general is 53 years old, and was recently appointed to the position he now holds. He was formerly minister of war and commanded the Fourth army corps. General von Falkenhayn has also been a privy councillor and one of his numerous tasks was the educating of the crown prince in military ways. He has served in China as military instructor to the Chinese army, and has been decorated by the kaiser with an Iron Cross.

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he will call the legislature in special session.

Senator Gibson is in accord with the views and suggestions of the governor. The senate passed another education bill. Whatever the character of amendment or substitute offered the ghosts of reconstruction and the E. J. Davis' constabulary were present. Every opponent of the bill raised his voice highest and grew more eloquent when he touched upon that attendance officer.

Former Lieutenant Governor A. B. Davidson of Cuero was nominated by Governor Ferguson as member of the board of managers of the A. and M. college to succeed B. A. Riesenr, Houston, who resigned.

Governor Ferguson received a reply from Hillbush in reference to the order of the board of managers of the A. and M. college to succeed B. A. Riesenr, Houston, who resigned.

The message from Secretary Garrison was in response to the letter of the governor suggesting an addition to the ranger force and that the federal government pay one-half of the expenses of the additional forces.

Whiteballed.

"Well, Rastus," said the colonel, "I understand your club has declined to admit Julius to membership."

"That's a fact, kumel," returned the old dakey. "Ah, dunno, when dey come to vote day done whiteballed him."

Judge.

Syria, almost the only country in the world in which pistachio nuts are cultivated, produces about half a million pounds of them a year.

Why Our Ice Cream Is Different

A model ice cream plant has been recently built in a large city on the Pacific coast.

Two of the features on which the owner prides himself are that the workrooms let in lots of sunlight and that the ice cream is made of real cream.

Sunlight is the original germicide. Pure, genuine cream is the most delicious and wholesome ingredient of ice cream.

Our Ice Cream, made in our own factory, is different because it has these two advantages. It is made where the sun shines in—and it is made of real cream. You can get our Ice Cream the year round at our Soda Fountain. Ask for the flavor you like best.

Get It Where They've Got It

**Powers-Kelly
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State News

Texas Rate Hearing.

Dallas, March 5.—At today's hearing of the Texas railroad commission, the increase of railroad rates approximately 15 per cent. R. D. Cobb, auditor for the Cotton Belt, was cross-examined by the attorneys for the state, Judge Sam A. Cowan and Judge N. A. Stedman.

It appeared that attorneys for the commission sought to differentiate between the "book value" of a railroad reporting stocks and bonds and improvements and betterments not included in operating expenses, and the physical valuation of the property by the railroad commission, made in 1904 and 1908, plus betterments and improvements. It was the questioning of Attorney Cowan which brought out this fact.

After ascertaining that the basis for the book value of a railroad was its stocks and bonds, Judge Cowan asked whether the Cotton Belt stock value where it differed from the valuation of the commission (assuming the latter to be correct), would not be "the water in the stocks and bonds."

Judge Perkins, the road's attorney, objected and Judge Cowan changed the question, asking if it was not true that the difference involved would have nothing in the way of physical property to support it. The witness replied that so far as he knew this was correct. Going into a lengthy questioning of the transaction by which the road was sold to the St. Louis & Southwestern Railway company of Missouri, Judge Cowan then sought to establish the fact that the road was owned outside the state.

Judge Perkins objected emphatically. He said the Clayton bill, passed by congress in 1914 permits "such usage" as now exists between the two companies. Judge Cowan passed the question.

Eight Men Convicted.

Hillsboro, March 5.—Eight men convicted of felony charges and sentenced to terms in the state penitentiary today by the district court, are in jail here awaiting the arrival of the transfer agent of that institution who will take them to the penitentiary in terms of service. Of the following eight, the first two are white and the others negroes: Fred Trenchard, forgery, two years; O. D. Cerver, forgery, four years; two years each; Ernest Jordan, burglary, three years; Oscar Wilson, forgery, three years; Will Thomas, assault to murder, three years; Will Marshall, theft of over \$50, two years; Clarence Jordan, robbery, two years; Russell Martin, assault to murder, two years.

Physicians Found Guilty.

Houston, March 5.—After little more than one hour of deliberation, the jury in the federal court trying the nine Harris county physicians upon charges of using the mails to defraud, returned a verdict finding them guilty as charged in the indictment. Sentence will be passed later, it being discretionary with Judge Burns as to whether fine or imprisonment, or both, be imposed.

Inspector Honery of Washington worked up the government's case against the doctors. The convicted physicians are Nathan A. Hughes, August Marable, J. E. Corl, Walter P. Pegram, A. G. Olsen, T. W. Hughes, Edward Parlan, J. F. Allen and O. F. Bourque.

Fire at Hillsboro.

Hillsboro, March 5.—Fire of unknown origin, discovered in a vacant house at 301 Vineyard avenue at 1:40 this morning, entirely destroyed the structure and was confined to the premises of No. 303, occupied by John Morrison, damaging the roof and sides of the latter.

No. 301 was owned by J. A. Pinto of Waco, whose loss is probably \$1700, with \$1000 insurance, the building being a total loss. The house at 303 is owned by J. A. Morrison whose loss is placed at less than \$800, covered by insurance. The tenant of this house, Mr. Summersfield, was able to remove most of his household effects and suffered little loss.

Glants to Play in Dallas.

Dallas, March 5.—The New York Glants will arrive here in the morning for Marlin for two games with the local team, Saturday and Sunday afternoons. Saturday Gardner Park will be formally dedicated. The line-up of the Dallas Glants will be as follows: Harber, right field; Coffin and Brownlow, third base; Crouch, center field; Clarke left field; Storch, first base; Schwind, shortstop; Eunach, second base; Dunn, catcher; Bonno and Stricker, pitchers.

Woman Steals Own Child.

Fort Worth, March 5.—Mrs. Lillian Ford of Fort Worth battered down the door of her former husband's home at Maypearl last night and took away her child at the point of a pistol. She returned to Fort Worth at noon today after being intercepted by the sheriff at Waxahachie and released. Two auto drivers who accompanied her were arrested at Waxahachie on charges of carrying pistols.

Lots of Thieving.

Austin, March 5.—Cattle thieving and other depredations continue to quite an extent in the Big Bend counties along

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BANKERS DECIDE ON COMMITTEES FOR COMING CONVENTION

Active preparations for entertaining the State Bankers' Association here May 18, 19 and 20, were commenced yesterday when the Clearing House Association met and appointed committees. It is expected that there will be between 1,500 and 2,000 bankers here for the three days of the convention and it is conservatively estimated that they will spend at least \$50,000 in the three days.

The committees are as follows: Reception, W. W. Seley, president Waco State bank, chairman; presidents and vice presidents of all Waco banks.

Finance committee—George E. McGhee, cashier First National bank, chairman; John F. Wright, vice president Central Texas Exchange National bank, L. B. Black, cashier Citizens' National bank.

Entertainment committee—W. W. Woodson, cashier Central Texas Exchange National bank, chairman; L. B. Gardner, cashier First State Bank and Trust company, Robert B. Dupree, assistant cashier First National bank, Chapin Seley, assistant cashier Waco State bank, George S. McGhee, John D. Mayfield, cashier National City bank.

Ladies' entertainment committee—Mrs. Edward Rotan, chairman; wives of all the bankers in the city, members.

Lawyers' Lunch Club Today.

The Lawyers' Lunch Club will hold its regular bi-weekly luncheon at the State House at 12:15 this noon. Allan D. Sanford will be the special speaker for the occasion. All members of the local bar are members of the club.

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WARNER WATCHED SCALES CLOSELY

Alabama Artist Kept Record for Two Months and Tells of Outcome.

Mr. F. G. Warner, a well known artist and paperhanger of Mobile, Ala., residing at 215 S. Wilkinson St., kept an interesting record of his physical condition while making a personal test of natural Vitalitas.

"On Sept. 20, when I bought the first bottle, I weighed 132 pounds; on Oct. 13 I weighed 126½ pounds. After taking one bottle, and on Nov. 16, after taking the second bottle, I weighed 124½ pounds. I had been in a badly run-down state, troubled with indigestion or some stomach trouble and did not sleep well, was very weak and got tired easy. Now I can eat anything and sleep better than I have been able to in ten years. I give Vitalitas credit for my present condition."

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30,000 French Civilians.

Paris, March 5.—A dispatch to the Temps from Geneva, Switzerland, says that Germany is forwarding to the Swiss frontier 30,000 interned French civilians for repatriation. The correspondent adds that Germany is desirous of being relieved of these civilians as soon as the formalities of an exchange can be effected.

Dacia Crew to Havre.

Brest, Via Paris, March 5.—The crew of the Unstet, a French steamer, which was seized recently by a French cruiser while on the way from Galveston to Rotterdam with a cargo of cotton, signed for Bremen, left for Havre at 4:50 o'clock this afternoon.

Save Your Pennies

One thousand amount to \$10.00. By buying groceries at the penny rates you can save in a month your house rent and laundry bill.

One 10c can of Tomatoes, one 10c can of Calumet Baking Powder, one 25c Catsup, one 10c Amer and 10c Brand Soda, one 5c Search Light Matches, one 10c Mince Meat, one 10c Black Pepper, one 10c bottle of Vinegar, one 5c Laundry Soap, one 10c Snyder Pork and Beans, one 25c lb. of Coffee—\$1.30 worth, for 95c at

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Praetorians Elect Officers for Year

At a regular meeting last night of Council No. 265, Modern Order of Praetorians, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Giles P. Lester, sublime Augustus; J. P. Wehrung, senior tribune; R. J. Ard, attorney; and J. S. South, recorder. Judge Tom L. McCullough, Giles P. Lester and W. A. Laughlin were elected as delegates to the supreme senate, which convenes at Corsicana. The meeting was well attended. At the meeting to be held next Friday night a banquet will be held following the lodge ceremonies, at which a large attendance of members is expected.

In Line for Good Roads.
Marlin, March 5.—A great deal of interest is being taken in the election soon to be held for the purpose of issuing \$500,000 of bonds to place Falls county in the front ranks of the good road counties of the state. An information bureau has been opened in the commercial club here so that any citizen of the county can obtain any information desired. A series of county meetings have been arranged for as follows:

Otto, Friday, March 12.
Perry, Monday, March 15.
Center, Tuesday, March 16.
Eureka, Wednesday, March 17.
St. Paul, Thursday, March 18.
Harmony, Friday, March 19.
And a final grand rally at the court house in Marlin, Monday, March 22. All meetings will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening so that a full attendance can be secured without anyone neglecting their farm work. Prominent speakers will be on hand at all meetings.

Election for Trustees.
Belton, March 5.—Election proclamations have been issued and posted calling an election for county school trustees to be held in Bell county on Tuesday, April 3. Thus far no candidates for the several positions have made announcement and but little interest is being displayed in the outcome.

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Current Events

IN WOMAN'S SPHERE

BOTH PHONES 1958

KATE FRIEND, Editor

THE WOMAN'S CALENDAR FOR THIS SATURDAY

Miss Hazel Spencer is all day hostess for the Beau Nots, Fourteenth and Columbus.

Sanger Brothers present Living Models in spring styles; 9:30 to 11:30; 7:00 to 9:00.

Market Sale and Parcel Post Distribution, Saint Paul's Parish House; after 10 o'clock.

T. E. L. meets with Mrs. Howell James, 1019 North Sixteenth street; 3 o'clock.

Mass meeting of women at the Library; 3 o'clock.

Sunbeam Institute, Clay Street church; 3 o'clock.

Euterpeans have call meeting, Philo club; 3 o'clock.

Miss Honor Wolfe is luncheon hostess at the Glad Tea Room for Mrs. McDonald, of Wisconsin; 1 o'clock.

THE FRIDAY NIGHT DANCES CONTINUE AT HUACO CLUB

The impression that the weekly Friday night dances at the Huaco club are discontinued until the Easter tide is erroneous. The club is open for members just as has been all the season.

THE NEEDLECRAFTERS MEET FOR A PLEASANT HOUR

One of the pleasant social hours enjoyed by the Needlecrafters found the hostess, Mrs. P. J. Connolly, showing some very pretty pieces of her handiwork. Her rooms were fragrant with spring flowers, and there were introduced as guests Mrs. Jarrell of Houston and Miss Mable Falkner. The next session brings joint hostesses in the Mesdames George O. Daunis and J. C. Allen.

THE MERRY ROBINS CHIRP WITH MRS. JOHN STRAUSS

Another pleasant afternoon goes in to history of the Merry Robins, our suburban club. The hostess was Mrs. John Strauss. This is one of the few social clubs to have an official teacher. She is Mrs. Joseph Holloway, who directs the members with the novelty stitches and designs which they wish to learn. The president of the Merry Robins is Mrs. Ella Stegal and the reporter is Mrs. Guy Daugherty. At the last meeting music was enjoyed from Mrs. John Strauss, Jr.

WOMEN ARE REMINDED OF SPECIAL READING

Within the department, "Women of Texas," on Sunday morning the News will include two articles of especial importance to women, not active with organized bodies. These articles are, the report of Mrs. S. J. Wright concerning historical data and its purpose for this state. Several within the city may have something to add to Mrs. Wright's work, especially members of the Daughters of the Republic. The other article will interest those who propose to visit the Panama-Pacific exposition.

THE THURSDAY AUCTION WITH MRS. JESSIE PENICK

Owing to illness within her home, Mrs. Jessie Penick, entertainer of the card club, the Thursday Auction, with Mrs. Charles Gooch. The usual game was played at the close of which Mrs. J. J. Powers was named the forthcoming hostess. The prizes provided for the auction were both plants, a blooming pot for one and a corsage for the other. They were won by two of the club guests, the Mesdames George Jack and Potter. Other guests were Mrs. Penick, Mrs. G. D. Foscutt and Mrs. R. J. Potts.

THE PENELOPES MEET WITH MRS. B. L. SCOTT

Since the last session of the Penelopes, Mrs. J. H. Hutcherson has been made a member. Also, as hostess for the afternoon, Mrs. B. L. Scott invited Miss Ida Duke and Mrs. E. L. Wilson. At the last meeting cards were handed and each Penelope instructed to appear with Mrs. Scott ready to read from her card the record of some experience in her life. These were quite clever, but the cleverest was that of Mrs. J. R. Millam. Victrola music and the luncheon feature were the contributions for pleasure from Mrs. Scott. Mrs. T. M. Dilworth has the distinction of being the first Penelope president. Mrs. K. H. Aynesworth is the secretary.

MR. AND MRS. THOMPSON HAVE MUSICAL FRIENDS

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thompson enjoyed having as their first invited guests a few friends for an informal musical. Mrs. Thompson welcomed not only as a bride, but also an acquisition to musical life in Waco. Her voice has been enjoyed in choir but not before within her own home beside her handsome piano. Among the enjoyment of the few friends present, Miss Bernice Young was invited to read, Miss Gertrude Bush to play and Mrs. J. W. Hale to sing. And not the least pleasure was the hostess' own voice. The guests were Mrs. E. L. Bush and her guest, Dr. Walker of New Brunswick; Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hale, Dr. R. B. Nutter, William Morrow, T. P. Bush, Judge and Mrs. Llewellyn Aubrey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boynton, Dr. and Mrs. Curran with Miss Gertrude Bush.

WOMEN IN MASS MEETING AT LIBRARY TODAY

If present interest holds, there will be a large assembly of women at the library this afternoon. These are called at mass from every woman's organization in Waco, church, philanthropic, literary and individuals, to discuss the Visiting Nurse for our city. Some are eager to know what this innovation as a city officer means, others are informed and insist that this valuable adjunct comes to the health and sanitation of our city. So far the outlook is for a general demand for the Jewish, Catholic, German and suffrage societies are all interested. The City Federation of Missions and the City Federation of Women's Clubs issued the call. The physicians who have the initiative in the matter, the city health physician, have been informed and insist that together with Mayor Higgins and other commissioners, are invited to be present. Any individual woman who is interested is also invited. The women expect the meeting to consume just one hour.

MRS. MAURICE LANDMAN FOR MRS. HIRSHFELDER

In special compliment to her aunt, Mrs. S. Hirschfelder of California, also to several now visiting within the home of her friends, Mrs. Maurice Landman added one of the enjoyable bridge parties to the many which are now enlivening Jewish society. This was not an elaborate game, but

withal, a very pleasant one, especially in that Mrs. Hirschfelder was meeting, not the stranger, but the friends of a former visit. The prizes of the game fell to Mrs. A. L. Marks and to Mrs. Regina Hirschfelder. Within Mrs. Landman's game, were Miss Eva Long and Miss Madeline Mikos of Groesbeck, with the Mesdames Hirschfelder, Regina Hirschfelder, Moses Hirschfelder, Lehman Sanger, Sam Sanger, Chas. Sanger, Dan Vase, Isaac Strauss, Ethel of Dallas, Sam Freund, Abe Bloomenthal of Louisiana, Robert Hatten, Sylvan Floreshelm of Shreveport, S. J. Davidson, Isaac Friedlander, Abe Frank, Alfred Godshalk, Sol Gordon of Beaumont, A. L. Marks, Herman Mayer.

STATE HEALTH OFFICER HAS ISSUED EDICT

Nothing so far is heard from Commissioner Littlefield, but this will doubtless come at an early date. But the state health officer has sent his request throughout the state that March 10 be made the annual state Clean-Up Day. Never mind that hackneyed remark, "We have every day a clean-up day." Like the woman who applies the cold cream to what she considers a spotless face and removes her cloth to find it almost black, when we take the look at what we consider clean premises, we will be surprised at the opportunity for further cleaning. The annual Clean-Up means the burning of much useless accumulation. It ought to mean the puncture of every tin can so that water breeding mosquitoes can not collect. It ought to mean a liberal burning of trash, attention to the horse lot, and, above all, attention to the garbage vessel. If there is tendency to the collection of water anywhere about the premises, the liberal use of lime is advisable. If open space under the house, above all places sprinkle the lime. Never mind if not one evidence of insect breeding or germ origin is visible, clean up. Remember, every fly breeds two millions as an offspring; remember, that every mosquito has within his bill the germ for malarial fever. Do a part towards preventing summer sickness. More than this, women of Waco, see that the gospel of cleanliness is preached to the maid and the man servant, especially if they remain in their own home at night. Negroes do not realize what cleanliness is. Who is to instruct them but the white people? If the laundry goes into a negro home, it may return polluted. If an epidemic gains hold in the negro quarter, let the air and the fly and the mosquito take it to your own loved ones. Clean up is a community duty which escapes none. Remember, March the tenth is designated by the state health officer. Commissioner Littlefield will doubtless issue his proclamation for Waco. Watch for it and heed it.

Society Notes

Mrs. A. L. Marks entertains the Bridal Bridge on next Thursday afternoon.

Following the successful operation in Dallas, Miss Janet Matthews is returned to her school in Denver.

Miss Frances Rowell of Jefferson, who is recovering from a recent operation, is now the guest of Mrs. Ray Rowell on Barnard street.

Miss Lillian Halbert has written that she may be expected for a bi-monthly visit from the Rice Institute, Houston, before the close of March.

Mrs. J. G. Wren is spending much of her present time out of the city. Societies in visiting the surrounding towns in the interest of the Kreislir recital.

Jewish society circles have never been so gay as this winter. Almost every day for the last few weeks has brought something, and the outlook is for still more.

The Morning News editor does not mean to discourage those who have contributed addresses, poems and other features for publication. But the accumulation far exceeds space.

Surely, it was not the Waco young man, walking with one of the city girls down town, heard a lady say, "Just look at that lovely candi!" And he stopped to look, nothing else.

Mrs. Moore of Denison, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Van Wyck, was shown special courtesy by Mrs. Hunt Jones of the city. The very fashionable spend-the-day.

More than the usual number of club women will attend their district meet-

GREAT HELP TO A SICK WOMAN

This Lady Says, "I Cannot Find Words to Express How Thankful I Am to Cardui"

Jonesville, Va.—"I certainly appreciate what Cardui, the woman's tonic, has done for me," writes Mrs. Owen F. Wells, of this town. "Before I began to take Cardui, I could hardly go about. I had several womanly troubles, which caused me much suffering, and were very troublesome. But now I feel like a different person."

I had often read of Cardui, but had little faith in it. My husband urged me to try it, and now I cannot find words to express how thankful I am. Cardui is a wonderful medicine and I feel that it was a greater help than anything I could have taken.

I had scarcely no pain or suffering at childbirth, and I feel I owe it all to Cardui. I know that no woman would make a mistake in using Cardui at that most critical time. It will save them so much suffering.

It is my sincere desire that this statement may be seen and read by all sufferers who suffer as I did. I am telling all my friends and acquaintances of the great cure I have received.

If you suffer from any of the ailments so common to women, give Cardui a trial. Thousands of women have voluntarily written to tell of the great benefit that Cardui has been to them. Why shouldn't it help you, too? Try Cardui.

Will Campaign Jersey for Suffrage by Auto



As soon as the condition of the roads will permit, Mrs. Medill McCormick and Mrs. Winston Churchill, of New Hampshire, will begin a three weeks' automobile tour through New Jersey, under auspices of the National American Woman Suffrage association. The suffrage amendment will be submitted to Jersey voters in September next and other states will not vote on it before November. Therefore the suffragists will concentrate on Jersey.

ing in Bryan. This is in courtesy to Miss Decca Lamar West, candidate for presidency of the Fourth district. The delegates are being elected as the clubs meet within the next two weeks.

If the recital of Fritz Kreisler in Waco is not a success financially, this will not be because the members of the Enterpriser club had not worked faithfully to amass their audience. It is a foregone conclusion that this will be an artistic success because the artist is Kreisler.

In this springtime of new styles and new gowns, let us bear in mind that "she dresses like a lady" means that the tone and pose of hat and dress suit the individuality of the wearer and that, this decided, the manner in which these are adjusted are the final triumph.

Remember again, it is not quite the delicate thing to invite a woman to your home where she is well at home from hers. This seems altogether too much of a "pay-back." Let the courtesy be returned, by all means, but let it be done in so subtle a way that it loses the atmosphere of repaying an indebtedness.

So general is the use of the telephone nowadays, some have suggested that the personal section of the women's department could serve more effectively, if street numbers were eliminated and the telephone number made the substituent. What do the women of Waco think about this?

The women of Waco can assist with this humane work through yet another channel, and this without money or time expended. This is the early and systematic sending out the laundry. If orders are telephoned the first thing after breakfast with the grocery order, the driver can make his calls systematically and save the poor horse many a weary step. Women need to think about such, the small things which mean much.

The public library loses no opportunity to keep the patrons informed as to what is available. Not only is the list of new books given to the local press, but the librarians send special lists to those clubs and other organizations which will be benefited. While the library has long passed to higher usefulness than the women's clubs could afford, it is a monument to the faithful work of Waco women who labored to give opportunity to the women of Waco to establish a public library for this city.

Miss Todd left a lasting impression, among the many, when she said that the woman who clings so tenaciously to the home idea is a relic of the past. In her day, women baked and churned, trimmed lamps and did other duties which consumed the whole time. Later, inventions and labor-saving devices have given opportunity to go forth from that home and serve others. Also, the woman of the past found pure water in her own well; she found pure milk with her own family cow. Conditions are changing, and woman must change with them.

Society Personals

Mrs. J. C. Kelly, Eleventh and Jefferson, is a recent visitor to Austin.

Among present visitors to friends in the city is Mrs. Jarrell from Houston.

Mrs. Keith Watson Matthews, Sixteenth and Morrow, is at home from Dallas.

Mrs. Biggs of West is spending a few days with Mrs. B. L. Scott, Austin avenue.

Miss Harriet Somervell of Marlin is on a visit with Mrs. James A. Loughridge, Terrace Row.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney, recently of Dallas, are with Mrs. E. E. Fitzhugh, Sixteenth and West.

Miss Nina Belle Payne of North Fifteenth street is returned to her classes at the "State."

Mrs. C. C. Terry, North Fifteenth street, has for her guest Miss Oakes from Pulaski, Tennessee.

Mrs. J. Haber, who came for the Lowenberg-Haber wedding, is returned home to Austin.

Mrs. Moses Hirschfelder of Washington street is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Utah of Dallas.

After a few days in Austin, Miss Esse Forrester of West Barnard is now with friends in Temple.

Mrs. T. H. Killingsworth of Oklahoma is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Robert Ross, Twenty-third and Gorman.

Among late week departures have been that of Mrs. J. H. Schroeder and her daughter, Miss Gertrude Schmalz of Streeter-Place for Lucerne, Switzerland.

Among Thursday departures was that of Mrs. Sol Gordon for her home in Beaumont. She had been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Herman Mayer, Austin avenue.

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Nat Goodwin at the Auditorium

Nat Goodwin in "Never Say Die."

Nat Goodwin, in William H. Post's "Never Say Die," at the Auditorium last night, left nothing to be desired if one's desires run along laughter lines. The play itself was funny as to plot and convincing even as farces are supposed to be convincing; but several original twists allowed the irresistible comedian to wring them dry of laughs.

As Dionysius Woodbury, an American millionaire in London, the star had about the same chance for comedy, by a comparison of European and American ways, as Booth Tarkington gave his character part in "The Man from Home," and Mr. Goodwin's vehicle, however, was far from being in the class of Tarkington's great play.

The star was surrounded by an unusually well balanced company. As Griggs, valet to Mr. Woodbury, Dennis Cleugh was second only to Mr. Goodwin. His English accent was great, and as a foil for the comedian's clever lines added greatly to the dialogue. Miss Margaret Moreland, who married the millionaire expecting him to die and leave her his fortune, by a previous arrangement among the millionaire, his fiancée and others, is a clever actress and is as beautiful as the advance notices proclaimed. Miss Charlotte Lambert as the Honorable Mrs. Stevenson handled her "Grand dame" part well. She had few opportunities for any great display of the ability she undoubtedly possesses.

Master Max Paley as Buster was a genuine boy. The youngster had one fine scene with the star in the third act and got away with the honors. Unlike many stage youngsters, the lad was free from mannerisms and made no attempt to be "cute." As a result, he was.

The play was minus a climax, and therefore had a new appeal in the line of farcical comedies. As a matter of fact, the end came before the audience expected it, following some rapid comedy and a good unfolding of

Today is the Day to Get the Purest and Best Bulk Candy in the City for

31c

THE POUND

This sale applies only on Saturday. On other days this same candy sells at from 40c to 50c the pound, so don't fail to come in and get a package of the purest and best candy in Waco for 31c the pound.

MORRISON'S "OLD CORNER"

The Biggest and the Best in Texas

More Watered Milk Found by Inspector

Fifteen samples of milk were tested yesterday by Dr. R. H. Hodges, city health inspector. Three samples had been watered and two more were low in butter fat. As on a previous occasion, Dr. Hodges collected the samples from dairymen and restaurants. Many of them were all right. Dr. Hodges said last night that he expected to file some complaints soon.

Rondthaler Home Destroyed by Fire

The residence of W. D. Rondthaler, 520 North Twentieth street, practically was destroyed by a fire, discovered at 8 o'clock last night and most of the contents destroyed. A gas leak near the kitchen stove is believed to have started the conflagration. None of the family was at home at the time.

Insurance of \$2,500 on the house and \$1,500 on the furniture was carried, but it was not believed last night that this would cover the loss. The house was a handsome frame bungalow, worth about \$3,000. Mr. Rondthaler's library was badly damaged, many of the books being ruined by the combination of fire, smoke and water.

PERSONAL MENTION

F. L. Jones, traveling passenger agent of the Cotton Belt, with headquarters at Houston, was in Waco yesterday.

C. N. Gray, traveling freight agent of the Frisco line, was in the city yesterday on business. Mr. Gray's headquarters are at Dallas.

Judge Richard I. Munroe and Hall Etter, court reporter, have returned from Marlin for the opening of the Fifty-fourth district court here Monday.

ISN'T ITCHING ECZEMA AWFUL!

Are you an eczema sufferer? Do those ugly patches of eruption start up and itch as though they would drive you frantic, and have you tried treatment after treatment with, at best, only temporary relief? Then you are only going through the experience of thousands of others who have at last found that Resinol healed their sick skins for good!

With the first use of Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap the itching and burning usually stop, and soon all trace of eczema or similar torturing skin trouble disappears, even in severe and stubborn cases. Doctors have prescribed the Resinol treatment for twenty years. Sold by all druggists. For trial free, write to Dept. 12-11, Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

Is Your Toilet Soap Safe?

Many toilet soaps contain harsh, injurious alkali. Resinol Soap contains absolutely no free alkali, and to it is added the Resinol medication. This gives it soothing, healing properties which clear the complexion, comfort tender skins and keep the hair healthy.

LOOK-LOOK

Chunks, stove-wood, McGlasson's Yard, 9th and Franklin. New phone 886. Old phone 2506.—Adv.

DR. L. S. DOWNS.
Successor to Dr. C. D. Hudson.
503 Peerless. Residence Riggs Hotel (Adv.)

Hotel Waco Cafe wants you.—Adv.

CORONER STARTS PROBE OF SUICIDE

DEATH OF LILLIAN MAY COOKE,
YOUNG WOMAN STUDENT,
UNDER INVESTIGATION.

GIRL FRIEND ON STAND

Tells Story of Hard Study and Ambition
With Belief That Strain
Was Too Heavy.

New Haven, Conn., March 5.—Coroner Eli Mix today began an inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the suicide of Lillian May Cooke, whose body was found in a lonely spot in a park of this city yesterday after the police of three states had been searching for her for a week.

The coroner spent the entire day in secretly examining several witnesses and hearing the reports of physicians he had assigned to perform an autopsy upon the body of the young woman.

A detective who has been engaged upon the case, announced late today that Miss Cooke, who was a student of the University of Connecticut, had been serving with a subpoena requiring him to appear before the coroner on Monday and answer if he could in determining what prompted the young woman to take her life. Later Coroner Mix stated emphatically that no subpoena had been issued for May.

Girl Friend Testifies.
New York, March 5.—Lola Waterbury, head of the home of Virginia J. May, maintained in Brooklyn under the name of James Dudley, said today that she had received a letter from Lillian Cooke written a day or so before Miss Cooke disappeared.

"It is ridiculous to suppose that Mr. May had anything to do with Lillian's disappearance," said Miss Waterbury. "I don't think it is my duty because of me. I became very fond of her. Before she left she became fully acquainted with the facts of the relationship existing between Mr. May and myself."

"She knew that I was not married to him. But she did not leave because she learned of this. She left because she was intelligent, ambitious, wanted to improve herself and the place, as nurse girl, wasn't the kind of place for her."

"We decided that she should go to New Haven to join Mr. May's office force. I don't think she was under any suggestion that she should go there from Mr. May or from me; I don't remember."

"When she had gone away Mr. May telephoned to me to tell me that she had gone to find out if she had come to me or if I knew anything about her. Of course I didn't; I wish I did."

NOTED DRIVER ILL.
San Francisco, March 5.—Earl Cooper, one of the entrants in the Vanderbilt cup race to be run tomorrow on the course within the Panama-Pacific exposition grounds, will not compete. The noted driver is seriously ill with pneumonia, contracted during the Grand Prix, which was run under bad weather conditions last Saturday.

Harry Grant will drive Cooper's car. No. 8 Grant has won the Vanderbilt cup race twice.

Perfect weather has been promised for the big event, and with such speed burners participating as Barney Oldfield, Eddie Pullen, Louis DiStro, Bob Burman, Ralph De Palma and others, motor enthusiasts are looking for a fast and thrilling contest. Roy Francis may be a late entrant.

SOX DEFEAT LOS ANGELES.
Los Angeles, March 5.—The Chicago Americans defeated the Los Angeles coast leaguers again today, the score being 3 to 2. The Angel batters, however, managed to chase "Red" Russell, the big Sox pitcher, from the box by scoring two runs in the second. Rowland sent Johnson in then and he and Scott, who succeeded him, held the Coast leaguers unless thereafter.

Down to Governor Size.
Now it is proposed to split Texas into three states. It's about time Texas did something to accommodate itself to the size of its governors.—Grand Rapids Press.

RAILROADS' CREDIT AND FREIGHT RATES

ONE BIG QUESTION DISCUSSED
BEFORE COMMISSIONER DANIELS AT HEARING.

THE CAUSE OF DEPRESSION

Festus J. Wade Declares State Commissions Are Responsible for Conditions.

Chicago, March 5.—The credit of railroads as reflected in their ability to obtain new capital was discussed before Interstate Commerce Commissioner William Daniels today in the petition of 41 western railroads for permission to increase freight rates.

Festus J. Wade, a banker of St. Louis, testified that owing to their poor earnings western railroads were unable to obtain money except on high rates of interest out of proportion to that asked from industrial corporations.

"To what do you attribute the financial depression from which the railroads are suffering?" asked Luther Walker, counsel for the packing interests, who are opposing the increase.

"I attribute it," said Mr. Wade, "largely to the attacks of state railroad commissions in reducing the railroads' revenues; to onerous acts by the state legislatures and to wild and extravagant charges against the railroads."

"If business conditions throughout the country are poor now, do you think it would hasten prosperity to tax the shippers?"

"It would help hasten prosperity to restore the credit of railroads. Many shippers who are now suffering from business depression would be glad to pay higher rates to improve business."

The witness said he considered the influence of the interstate commerce commission over railroads was good, but that many state commissions and legislatures handicapped the roads.

"Don't you think it is mismanagement and the selling of blue sky and water that has hurt the roads, rather than the railroad commissions?" asked Everett J. Jennings, counsel for the Illinois public utilities commission.

"It's just such wild statements as you have made that has hurt their credit," replied Mr. Wade.

Asserting he had much experience with the credits of southwestern railroads, Mr. Wade said that the roads had been made more acute by the depression, but that only roads in exceptionally good standing could obtain funds at normal rates.

Benjamin F. Bush, president of the Missouri Pacific road, said his lines would be unable to keep pace with the public's demands for increased efficiency unless higher freight rates were permitted.

"We believe," he said, "the bad conditions which have prevailed for the last sixteen months with the attendant depression of general business have been due more to the failure of the railroads to earn adequate revenues than to any other cause. The situation may have been made more acute by the European war, but business depression was upon us with full force prior to that."

"When the railroads are prosperous they consume from 40 to 50 per cent of the basic industrial factors and thus initiate a movement in business which quickly pervades all industries and trades. When their revenues are inadequate they are obliged in self preservation to retrench."

"Nine industries in St. Louis dependent on railroads have been obliged to curtail their forces some 10,000 men and their payrolls on that account are \$58,000 less each month than in times of normal business. The loss in wages of employees of those nine St. Louis industries would amount to \$7,000,000 a year. The time has come when it is most vital not only to the carriers' interest but to the industrial and commercial welfare of the country that the desired advances should be allowed."

Governor Ferguson Signs Tenant Bill
Austin, March 5.—Governor James E. Ferguson today signed a bill restricting rental charged to tenant farmers in Texas. In cases where the landlord furnishes only the land the new law limits the annual rent to one-fourth the value of a cotton crop grown thereon, or one-third the value of any other crop. Where the landlord furnishes everything except the labor he can charge his tenant no more than one-half the value of any crop he grows.

The bill, passed at the present session of the legislature, was one of the planks in the platform upon which Governor Ferguson was elected. It becomes effective immediately.

Girls Seek World Target Shoot Honors



Miss Katherine Reelhan of Los Angeles and Miss Beatrice McKay of Brooklyn entered in the competition for the world honors in target shooting at the sportsman's show held in New York. Both girls are experts with the rifle.

Letters from the People

Eliminate the Liquor Ads.

To the Waco Morning News:

In a recent issue of the Fort Worth Record there appears a notice that "Readers of Texas newspapers in Alabama are respectfully requested to shut their eyes when reading close to liquor advertisements or else call in the official censor to cut out the objectionable advertisement."

With your permission I want to suggest a better way, which is that readers of Texas newspapers in Alabama and other dry territory might "cut out" the Texas papers which will not "cut out" the liquor advertisements from their columns.

Liquor advertising is intended to sell liquor and evidently liquor advertising in Texas papers is intended to sell liquor. The liquor men would quit paying the papers for running such advertisements. That being true, the liquor sellers, and a Christian home in dry territory ought to give the same scant welcome to a newspaper which, through advertising in its columns, encourages children to buy and drink liquor, as it would extend to a bootlegger who would talk to the children about the delights of liquor drinking, and encourage them to order and drink liquor.

We have happily reached a stage where families are not compelled to read liquor selling papers, as they can get just as good papers whose columns are free from liquor advertising. Texas papers that want to be welcomed in Christian homes ought to quit being hired liquor sellers through advertising in their columns. The day of judgment is at hand for such as do not.

Respectfully,
H. A. IVY.

Credit, Courage and Silos.

To the Waco Morning News:

Hubbard, Tex., March 5.—The Morning News seems to be the medium and the propitious time for suggesting ideas and theories to improve the present and future. This seems to be a kind of "invention" time, like the epoch that followed the civil war. Old ways of doing things have played out, and new ideas and theories must be adopted. The News is certainly doing its part in trying to get the masses to adopt new theories and principles, and its efforts toward the betterment of the farmer's condition is especially commendable. The slogan of "Texas Feed Itself" is a good one, but it has just as well suggest its capacity, while it was at it, by saying "Texas supply America"—with raw material sufficient to feed and clothe—food and raiment.

Texas has every essential but one for supporting America in all its needs; and that essential is credit. With credit comes courage and with courage comes effort and with effort comes success in anything.

When I say credit I mean a credit that can be reached and enjoyed by the ones that need it. I guess there is plenty of the kind—but darn the kind. The Wade cotton loan fund was all right—for some things, perhaps—but it was out of reach of the ones who needed it. The same can be said of the regional bank system—it can't be reached by those who need it most. It is perhaps the truth to say that too much credit is what's the matter now; that most people have imposed upon their credit by using it injudiciously, etc. But let that be so, it's no argument against the present condition. It has been suggested in some cases that "the hair of the dog is good for the bite," and this is one of them wherein the people have got to have more of that which they have already had too much of. The merchant has got to be carried, the land and home purchaser has got to be indulged; the business man in every line of endeavor has got to extend leniency as well as to demand it for himself—it's an endless chain, credit each other. So while this condition confronts the Texas people I do not know about other states, we are very forcibly reminded in looking for a solution of the matter, of what is said of the old lark, namely, "that when you want anything done, do it yourself." The lesson we get out of this is that we need not depend upon others to do anything, but do it ourselves. Each locality must pool its forces and concentrate its energies toward thwarting the war-time conditions. The soon-

er we learn this the better. This is the best and perhaps the only solution to this or any other problem—self-reliance.

This state being an agricultural country, diversification of crops has been almost universally suggested by all theorists, and there it stopped. Now as a matter of fact the present war times is not a "patching" as to what this country would have to contend with if every farmer was to plant the same that his neighbor did—a variety—without regard to what he was going to do with it at harvest time. Further comment is hardly necessary. The proper thing to do is to diversify the diversification. Like the merchants in town, some handle one line and some another—not all handle the same line. Which is to say, some plant something to sell locally, like truck, etc., while others will plant something to ship, and still others will erect silos and plant something to

But this suggestion brings us back to the credit proposition. How many farmers in any ordinary farming community can erect a silo of usual size and buy feeders to consume the contents of the silo without credit? And before this question is answered, who would recommend that anyone erect and plant crops to fill a silo without first knowing if he could get suitable stuff to feed, etc.? The suggestion is enough to act on, and I am going to suggest that the best solution to this dilemma, which is the actual condition in every farming community in Texas, is that the representative men of each city, town or village, get together and form a resolution and stand by it wherein they promise to furnish necessary funds to enable any man in their respective trade territories to erect a silo and feed its contents to a bunch of whatever is agreed on. This should be done at once before the farmer plants his crop as he should know what he is planting for before he erects his silo, etc.

This arrangement will enable each community to take care of itself—in a local self-government style, and the true spirit of diversification can be carried out to the best interests of the farmer, the country and the trading center. There would be no risk to run in furnishing the credit, as the business is ordinarily profitable. This would also be the means of reducing the cotton acreage. The banks should not be looked to for the whole dependence to furnish this credit, but if others will take the initiative in making the pledge, the banks in all communities will fall in line at the proper time and do their part.

Without enlarging on the subject of what all can be done with a silo, suffice it to say that nothing can be done with it except to feed livestock, and but few can do that without help in ordinary times, and none can do it now, hence the necessity of a concerted action of those who make it a business of being the leaders of their respective communities. A hint to the wise is sufficient.

W. R. BOUNDS.

BOSTON BUNCH IN CAMP.

Macon, Ga., March 5.—With the arrival today of Pitcher Strand, all of the Boston Red Sox players under contract for 1915 with the exception of Pitcher William James are here for spring training. James is reported holding out for increased salary.

Sherwood Magee, who was believed to be seriously injured by a fall two days ago, was able to resume practice today.

LORD DEFEATS HUSTON.

Philadelphia, March 5.—R. M. Lord, the young Chicago player, defeated Corwin Huston of Detroit 400 to 234 in the afternoon game of the class A amateur billiard championship. Average and high run: Lord 722-24, 50; Huston 529-52, 30.

Free Wheat in Chile.

Santiago, Chile, March 5.—Owing to the tremendous rise in Chile of flour and wheat, the government today made an announcement to the effect that both these products could be imported free of duty.

A clean stock of lumber and building material and a clean manner of doing business. Phones 60, Brazelton, Pryor & Co., Adv.

Brighten up your old screens with our paint made for the purpose. Phones 60, Brazelton, Pryor & Co., Adv.

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It is not far off to Easter and in order to give us an opportunity to give your personal order attention, we suggest letting us take your measure for your Easter Suit now.

We Handle the Scotch Woolen Mills and
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Boys' Shirt Waists at 17c

Glance at our Center Window and view the unusual display of Boys' Shirt Waists, we are offering in the wonderful "Economy Center" in all boys' sizes. Shirts that sold originally at 50c; on sale to-day at 17c

Splendid Values in Knit Underwear

LADIES' UNION SUITS—Low neck and sleeveless, with crocheted or lace finish knee, open or closed style; you can appreciate the value more fully by inspecting them. We have them in sizes 4, 6 and 7, at only 50c

LADIES' UNION SUITS—Low neck and sleeveless, with tight knee, open style, at only 25c

LADIES' CUMFY CUT VESTS—With Can't-Slip straps, the very thing for stout people; full line of sizes, 36 to 44. At two for 25c, and each 15c

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FIRST EXHIBITION GAME IS ON SUNDAY

PLENTY OF GINGER IS BEING
SHOWN IN DAILY WORKOUTS
OF THE NAVIGATORS.

Catchers Walters and Wright to Cap-
tain Opposing Teams in Initial
Skirmish.

The first opportunity of looking over Hardy's bunch will be given Waco fans tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the squad will be divided into two teams under Catchers Walters and Wright and a game played. Hardy is putting the aggregation through twice a day grinds and with a continuance of the present good weather the men will be in a fair way to give a snappy exhibition.

Cooney, a recruit pitcher, who, by the way, has a motion slightly resembling that of Eddies of Fort Worth, arrived and worked out yesterday. The work yesterday had ginger, the first real cutting-loose that has so far been done. The pitchers, especially "Rags" Faircloth of Topeka, put a little zip on the balls served up to the batters, and the hitters zipped them back—sometimes over the fence. None of the pitchers really put any zip on the ball, and won't do so until a few more days of work have been done toward getting arms in shape.

There is little complaint of the usual spring soreness on the part of the boys, as Hardy is always careful to avoid allowing his men to overwork. The new men are becoming rapidly acquainted and it looks now as if there will be a repetition of last year's family feeling on the club, which was largely responsible for the great showing of the 1914 club. Hardy has been able to select a clean bunch of fellows for recruits and every one looks like a ball player. They have already clamped down on the hits and the Big Skipper is busy holding them in, even to the old hands, who are feeling their fettle. On Sunday the grand stand will be thrown open for 25c.

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to sail on the American liner St. Louis, but would have no fear of submarine interference, as "I have arranged to have the outside of the hull painted red, white and blue."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

CASUALTIES 5,895,000.
Allies 2,165,000, Teutons 3,730,000—French Figures 840,000.

A New York physician who returned recently from France, and who has connections there which would give him access to inside information, said yesterday that he heard that General Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, was opposed to any forward move against the Germans until the latter were far more exhausted in their attacks.

This authority stated that in the actions now going on the Germans are losing a much greater number of men than their opponents. The French losses are about 100,000 a month, lately of whom 10,000 are killed. The doctor said:

"An authority with whom I talked placed the French and Belgian losses in killed, wounded and prisoners from the outbreak of the war to December 15 at about 840,000, of whom 215,000 were killed. In the same period the English in France lost about 75,000 men, including 21,000 killed.

Of the eastern and western theatres of war in the same period the German losses were placed at 2,180,000, of whom 725,000 were killed. The Austrian losses were placed at 1,550,000, of whom 575,000 were killed. The Russian losses were placed at 1,250,000, including 450,000 killed.

This would make the total losses of all armies about 5,895,000, of whom 1,985,000 were killed. This does not take any account of the losses of the Serbians, Montenegrins and Turks."—New York Sun.

A rifle target patented by an Oregon inventor is a figure of a man, the head of which drops back when a bullet strikes its belt plate.

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Finding of Old Indictments Recalls a Thrilling Story

SHOOTING OF NEGRO FREEDMAN, CONVICTION OF MURDERERS, THEIR ESCAPE FROM JAIL, CAPTURE AND END MAKE AN INTERESTING NARRATIVE.

Tattered and torn, paper yellowed with age and ink faded to a light brown hue, an old indictment, returned by the McLennan county grand jury in 1870, was found in the office of District Clerk R. V. McClain the other day when the old cases were moved aside to make way for those of the new Seventy-fourth district court. On the back was a notation that the trial jury had found Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, alias Murphy, guilty of murder in the first degree. The story of the case is as thrilling as any in the history of McLennan county.

A. L. Wright, one of the state's witnesses, was killed by horse thieves on Franklin street in 1874. Robert Lyons, Colonel Bonner and Mr. Malone, as the indictment describes him, were the other witnesses. D. R. Gurley, prominent here for many years until the time of his death, was foreman of the grand jury. N. A. McPhaul of the trial jury. A. J. Evans was prosecuting attorney.

The portion of the indictment charging the crime is "fearfully and wonderfully drawn, no chances of the defendants escaping prosecution being allowed. The version is as follows:

The Indictment.

"That Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, alias Murphy, late of said county, laborers, on the twenty-seventh day of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, with force and arms in the county aforesaid in and upon one, Elijah Whare, other name if he has any of the grand jurors unknown, a freedman of color, a reasonable creature in being, then and there wilfully, feloniously and to his malice aforesaid did make an assault, and that the said Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, alias Murphy, with certain six-shooting pistols then and there charged with gunpowder and leaden bullets which said six-shooting pistols they said Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, alias Murphy, then and there had and held in their right hands then and there wilfully, feloniously and to their malice aforesaid did discharge and shoot off at, to and against and upon him the said Elijah Whare, then and there he have any to the grand jurors unknown, a freedman of color and that the said Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, alias Murphy, with the leaden bullets aforesaid and one of the six-shooting pistols aforesaid then and there by force of the gunpowder aforesaid by the said Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, alias Murphy, discharged and shot off as aforesaid then and there wilfully, feloniously and to their malice aforesaid did strike, penetrate and wound him, the said Elijah Whare, other name if he have any to the grand jurors unknown, freedman of color, giving to him the said Elijah Whare, then and there with the leaden bullets aforesaid so as aforesaid discharged and shot off at the six-shooting pistols aforesaid by the said Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, alias Murphy, then and there he have any to the grand jurors unknown, freedman of color, one mortal wound of the breadth of half an inch and of the depth of a half inch which mortal wound he the said Elijah Whare, a freedman of color, then and there instantly died."

Story of the Case.

The finding of the document brings to the memories of many old settlers here incidents the parallel of which are to be found only in early-day romance. While the James boys, Quantrill and such other characters and the hair-raising events of the reconstruction days were causing the eyes of the world to be centered on Missouri and Kansas, similar scenes were enacted in and around Waco. The name of Warren Lawless brought terror to many, especially to the freedmen of color.

Warren Lawless, Bud Fisher and Fisher's brother had killed many negroes, according to old-timers here, probably amounting to a hundred in and around McLennan county. A camp of federal soldiers was established on the river bank on the west side, and little effort was made to catch the law breakers, for a running pistol fight always ensued and many of Uncle Sam's bluecoats were laid beneath the sod as a result of these fights, and many more went to the hospitals. A misunderstanding, and a red liquor, caused the first capture of Warren Lawless and Bud Fisher, both of whom escaped, however.

Robert Lyons, father of George Lyons, who lives with his family in East Waco, was driving along the road near a store run by Monroe Howard, a white man, near the present site of Paul Quinn College, when Lawless and Fisher, who had been drinking, stopped from the roadside. Mr. Lyons handed the lines to a negro who was in the wagon, and who was employed on the Lyons place. The two men ordered the negro to turn out of the road. Mr. Lyons, not knowing who the men were, ordered the negro to drive on. One of the men pulled a revolver and shot the negro, Elijah Whare, through the forehead. This would not have caused any great stir,

but for the fact that the team ran away and Mr. Lyons was dragged beneath the wagon for a considerable distance.

The men escaped. Word was received in Waco that Mr. Lyons was killed by Lawless and Fisher. The citizens, who up to that time had been apathetic in the matter of catching the law breakers, allowing the matter to be handled by the soldiers, at last decided to take a hand. Poses were formed and the country was scoured.

The men came into Waco and word was sent to George Wolf, in charge of the soldiers, that the men were in town. They were seen making their way up the river in a boat above the present site of the new bridge. The soldiers opened fire and the fire was returned by the men from the boat. Tom Bramlett was standing on the bank of the river with a shotgun and the captain ordered him to shoot the men. He fired, seriously wounding Fisher. A long chase ensued. Lawless was found asleep after the run, near the present site of Frost school house. Fisher was trailed by blood to Sleep Springs, where he was captured by Hun Bryan, brought to Waco and lodged in the old jail at Third and Franklin streets, where the Two Brothers saloon building now stands.

Both escaped through the assistance of parties yet alive. Many believed that the reconstruction sheriff, Sheriff Morris, was the one who helped them. Gov. E. J. Davis, reconstruction governor, offered \$10,000 for the capture of the men, dead or alive. It was reported that they were stealing horses. Sheriff Morris was told of their whereabouts and went after them. They were found and the sheriff made no attempt to capture them, shooting straight up, making the tops of the trees being shot off proving this to be the case. Ike Richardson, in the posse, shot Lawless in the arm. The men were surrounded in a cedar brake and starved out by the citizens, headed by George Wolf.

After capturing the men, the posse started back to Waco with them and when they reached the place of A. T. Ford, a few miles west of Waco, they were taken down on a branch and killed.

One of the Fishers, however, was not captured. He went to Missouri and became a millionaire through the death of several relatives who were wiped out by an epidemic. They left him a huge fortune. The manner of his being notified of his good fortune forms another chapter in the affair that reads like a romance.

Parties in Waco knew where Fisher was hiding after his brother and Lawless had been killed. A lawyer from Missouri came to Waco looking for him. A friend of Fisher went to the lawyer and told him to "get" the lawyer, that he was looking for Fisher to bring him to justice. The lawyer stuck to his story, however, and finally convinced Fisher's friend. He was taken to Fisher, declaring that Fisher would know him. He was warned, however, that if he tried any "tricks" he would be killed. He found Fisher, secured his pardon from the governor of Missouri and Fisher went back. Later, Fisher tied his former friends in Missouri over many a fence.

Dan Ford, day turnkey at the city hall, tells a humorous incident connected with the affair. News traveled slowly in those days in Texas. Most of it was carried by cowboys, who came to town on their "periodicals" and gathered the news, disseminating it as they went back to the ranches. When Lawless escaped from jail, Mr. Ford, who had seen him locked up, was on a sheep ranch herding sheep. One afternoon in the spring, the day being cool, he had built a fire behind a knoll protected from the kind. The day set for the execution of Lawless had passed. Mr. Ford knew Lawless as he had his own brothers. Looking up at the sound of a horseman approaching, he gazed into the eyes of the man he thought had been hanged. "You can imagine my feelings," declares Mr. Ford, "when I saw astride a horse, the man who had set central Texas in an uproar, and by law was already dead."

Not for the Consul.

The schoolmaster failed to know whether the boys had an understanding of the functions of a consulate.

"Supposing," he began, framing his question in the likeliest way to arouse the interest of his hearers, "supposing some one took you up in an aeroplane, and after a long, exciting flight dropped you down thousands of miles from home, in a country quite foreign, what place would you seek out first of all?"

An eager hand was instantly uplifted. "Well, Willie, what do you say now?" "Please, sir, the hospital,"—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Get Off Cheap, at That.

Edward Chambers, one of the owners of a department store in Seattle, Wash., is stopping at the Martineau. He told yesterday in a letter his first recent mailed, which had an unexpected effect.

"A woman who bought a pair of pumps left them to have the heel raised on one," said Chambers. "When the work was done the shoes and the bill were sent home. She brought both back in a hurry to confront us with the bill. The typist had written:

"To raising hell in the shoe department, \$0.50."—New York Herald.

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Pilgrim's Progress Story Told to 500 Children at Library

Miss Lota Pharr told the story of Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress" to 500 children at the public library yesterday afternoon. This was the largest crowd of children that ever attended a story hour in Waco. The children were divided into two groups. The story was illustrated by a series of twenty-four beautiful lantern slides which added much to the telling. A number of high school students, who are taking "Pilgrim's Progress" in their course of study, were among those present. Miss Pharr will continue her series of stories on Charlemagne next Friday.

Santa Fe Agents to Meet at Temple

Commercial agents of the Santa Fe railroad will hold their loss and damage meeting at Temple next week. C. H. Carringer, Waco commercial agent of the road, will attend. The prevention of adjustment of damages to goods in transit is the main topic for the consideration of the agents in these meetings.

Nickle Picture Show Will Open Here Soon

The building on Austin avenue, next door to the Central Texas Exchange National bank, is being remodeled to house, after March 15, the Nickle movie picture theatre. The Nickle, which is the venture of W. F. Sonnenman, will be the only exclusively 5c picture show in Waco.

The building is being renovated throughout, all sanitary improvements being made. The flooring of the main story of the building has been torn out, thus making the auditorium as high as the two former stories. This arrangement will give an airy room, made more so by the installation of exhaust draft fans to renew the air at short intervals. Mr. Sonnenman said last night that the Nickle will show first-run releases of the Kalem, Biograph, Vitaphone, Essanay, and other standard film services, featuring such stars as Charles Chaplin, Francis X. Bushman, Alice Joyce and others. He said that the price of admission will remain 5c, no matter how high-priced the feature release being shown.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Reported by the McLennan County Abstract Co.)

A. McQuary et ux to J. T. Linkenberger, tract at Fourth and Mary streets, \$2,475.00.
Peyton Handle to J. M. Stein, lots 2, 9 and 10, block 1, Tom Murphy Katy addition, 1,000.00.
G. L. Harris to A. Fisher, lots 1 and 2, block M. G. L. Harris addition, 1,150.00.
J. L. Robinson et ux to J. B. Cornish, lots 4 and 5, block 22, Farwell Heights addition, 1,650.00.
J. B. Tidwell to J. E. Boulet, lot 11, block 6, Bagby addition, 2,150.00.
Bolton Farms to J. M. Stein, block 3, 2 acres John Tucker survey, 120.00.
West End Realty Co. to J. M. Stein, lot 11, block UU, West End addition, 300.00.
R. H. Hill et ux to E. W. Marshall, part of block 55, Glenwood addition, 1,875.00.
W. Mitchell et ux to N. M. Gay, lots 12 and 13, block 5, J. Weinman & Co.'s addition, 455.00.
H. T. Case et ux to E. S. Klein, 101.85 acres M. Rabado grant, 3,139.10.
M. Glenn et al to F. Logan, lot 11, block 7, West, 3,400.00.
L. Boren to C. S. Davis, lot 6, block 42, Ross addition, 500.00.
J. L. McWilliams et ux to M. S. W. White et al, lot 11, block 16, Providence addition, 2,041.00.
G. W. Witt to S. A. Randle, lot 24, block 7, Lincoln Park addition, 200.00.
E. S. Klein to H. T. Case, lots 1 and 2, block 43, Ross addition, 3,623.00.
J. W. Taylor et ux to T. B. Stanford, 100 acres N. Burwell survey, 5,500.00.
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IRELAND GETS FACTS OF WAR FROM WACO

LETTER FROM BELFAST TELLS
OF READING STORIES FIRST
IN MORNING NEWS.

BUSINESS GOING ON THE SAME

Great Struggle Is Not Yet Affecting
Conditions Much in Emerald
Isle.

They're actually reading incidents of the great European war in Ireland in the Waco Morning News because it appears in the London and Irish papers, according to a letter received here by J. Johnson, head janitor at the county court house, from W. J. Strange, now in Belfast, Ireland, but formerly in charge of the line department at Sanger Brothers store.

Each week Mr. Johnson sends some Waco papers to Mr. Strange. The British censorship is still pretty strict and in his latest letter Mr. Strange tells of several important war events of which he read in the Waco papers several days before any mention of them appeared in the London papers.

Effects of the war are being felt worse in America than in Ireland, according to the letter. A Christmas bazaar in Belfast made 26 per cent more than a similar one on the previous year. "As far as Belfast is concerned, one would not imagine a war was on hand," Mr. Strange wrote. "Business is going on in all branches and very few people are idle."

About twenty-five young men left the bank building in Belfast, where Mr. Strange is located, to join the army. Most of the Irish contingent are still in training in camps scattered over the islands, he says, although some of the regiments have gone to the front already. The Irish people are confident that the allies must win and will have their full quota of men in the great struggle.

Prices of food and other necessities are high but not exorbitant, says the letter. For instance, sugar is 2 1/2 pounds for a quarter, ham is 35 cents a pound, butter 25 cents a pound, eggs 44 cents a dozen, bread 7 cents for a 2 pound loaf, mutton chops 28 cents a pound, steak 25 cents a pound and up, stewing beef 18 cents a pound. As may be seen, many of these prices are not much higher than those prevailing here.

Mr. Strange went back to Ireland from Waco about ten years ago, but he is still interested in the progress of the city and keeps up a regular correspondence with Mr. Johnson.

One war story was given much space in the London papers that attracted little attention at the time. It was when Mr. Strange wrote his letter, big stories were appearing of an aeroplane attack on Canada. Later developments showed that the scare was largely caused by imagination. But the news of the naval battles in the South Atlantic was much of it read by Mr. Strange in the Waco Morning News, before it appeared in the English and Irish publications, as were numerous other items of interest.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HART.

The following account of the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Kathleen Hart, who died in Waco last Wednesday, is given in this week's Rockdale Reporter:

"The funeral services of Mrs. Sarah Kathleen Hart, wife of Rev. H. T. Hart, were held from the San Antonio and Arkansas Pass depot this morning on the arrival of the train from Waco. Deceased was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Powell and was born in Schuyler county, Missouri, March 7, 1837, and died March 3, 1915, at Waco. Had she lived till Sunday morning next she would have been 78 years of age. She was married to Rev. H. T. Hart about fifty-two years ago. One daughter, Mrs. McWilliams of Waco, and her husband survive her. She had been a member of the Methodist church about sixty-five years. As a pastor's wife, she was a real help in bearing his burdens and sorrows. Interment was in the Odd Fellows' cemetery, Rev. J. D. F. Houck officiating."

DR. MURPHY MOVES BACK.

Dr. Paul C. Murphy has moved back from Hubbard City and will resume his practice here, occupying his old home, 1950 Sanger avenue. Dr. Murphy has an interest in a hospital at Hubbard City last November and moved to that place, but he got homesick for Waco, sold out and returned to this city.

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South Third Teams Both Win.
South Third school basketball teams proved too much for those from South Eighth school yesterday, the boys winning 29 to 5 and the girls 31 to 12.

Your lunch will be ready at 11:30 promptly at Hotel Waco Cafe—Adv.

SANGERS' OPENING DRAWS BIG CROWDS

FOUR THOUSAND WOMEN VIEW
PARADE OF THE LIVING
MODELS.

LATEST FASHIONS DISPLAYED

Mammoth Store Gay With Flowers and
Other Decorations—Open House
Tonight.

"Oh's" and "Ah's" and little ripples of applause ran involuntarily through the lines of well dressed women in the promenade hall at Sanger Bros.' big store yesterday as each parting of the curtains at the end of the promenade revealed to eager feminine eyes some new creation of the artist's brain and the tailor's deft needle. Three times during the day, at 9:30, 2:30 and 7:15, all the seats in the great hall were filled and several hundreds stood about the walls and in the aisles. Fully 1,500 women looked on at each performance while the living models strolled along the elevated promenade that circled about the main columns in the center of the hall.

Perhaps there was never such another scene in the southwest. The great hall, gay with its flowers and greenery twined about pillar and beam and flowing from basket and pedestal, admiring feminine eyes focussed upon the elevated promenade, the center, and there the fashion plates came to life, moving to splendid music—all the exaltation of art, all the exuberance of light and music, all the joy of living was there.

Swift elevators took the crowds from the first floor to the second, from which a passageway led to the promenade hall. This passageway was called the "Bridge of Prosperity" and spanned the space between the Sanger Austin store and the building on Washington street formerly occupied by the wholesale department. Much larger space than had heretofore been at the disposal of the firm for the utilization of the models. On the second floor of this building the promenade was laid. The expert decorators and electrical engineers of the Sanger store had been busy for weeks, and their efforts were justified by the splendid effects of decoration and lighting viewed yesterday.

Those versed in the particulars of women's dress recognized among the names called by the announcer, a model appearing a new creation, all of the most noted designers of the world. Premet, Douset, Lucille, Paquin, Polier furnished material for the Sanger 1915 opening. The models, whose only profession it is to wear clothes well, lent the touch of life to the gowns. The modern woman can see her dress complete and worn in the proper manner before she buys it. How different from the old days when frocks were bought from the bolt, or even the tiny sample piece of cloth!

Latest styles in millinery and footwear as worn by the models exemplified the harmony that should be maintained in selecting the characteristic articles of woman's dress. Famous names among milliners bore evidence of the authority of the Sanger styles and the effort that had been expended in selecting the style show a dominant fashion event.

The living models as a feature of the Sanger openings each spring are familiar to Waco women. An innovation this year are the juvenile models, who exhibited children's fashions. Two little girls, a tiny lad and a larger boy, sauntered along the promenade with as much self-possession as could be boasted by their elders. Alessandro's orchestra furnished music for the old days when frocks were bought from the bolt, or even the tiny sample piece of cloth!

Attractive merchandise was set off by attractive backgrounds. The full corps of clerks was on hand to exhibit and answer questions, but Sanger's had announced that nothing would be sold after 6 o'clock, the usual closing hour, except in the luncheonette department. Tonight the regular closing time is 9 o'clock, and goods will be sold until that hour. The models will appear on the promenade today at 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. and 7 to 9 p. m.

CITY NEWS BRIEFS.

Handsome new filing cases are being installed in the office of Sheriff S. S. Fleming at the county court house.

The Santa Fe city ticket office has been beautified by the installation of a number of growing plants. The plants come from the company's florist at Brenham.

A petition in voluntary bankruptcy has been filed in the federal court by Philip Richmond of Waco. Liabilities were given at \$23,512.47, assets at \$17,850 and exemptions at \$6,500.

Announcement has been received by Waco railroad officials that Charles J. Forrest has been made general agent of the St. Louis and San Francisco and Chicago and Eastern Illinois roads. Mr. Forrest was formerly commercial agent here, and has many friends in the city who will be pleased at his promotion. Mr. Forrest's headquarters will be at Atlanta.

A meeting of the arrangement committee for the Y. M. C. A. boys' conference to be held here March 19, 20 and 21, will be held at 6 o'clock this afternoon in the "Y" building.

Steaks, hams and other meat worth about \$25 were stolen from Trent's market at Fifteenth and Jackson streets early yesterday morning. The burglars entered through a window which they broke.

Two fires with practically no damage were handled by the fire department inside of half an hour yesterday morning. A burning flue at the residence of Walton Peetee, Fourteenth and Morrow streets, was the cause of the first alarm at 11 o'clock. As the fire boys were returning from that fire they were called to 1116 Clay street, where a gasoline stove had started a blaze in the residence of Joe Cohen. The damage was nominal in each instance.

West High School Wins.
The small boys' basketball team of the West high school defeated the small boys of the Y. M. C. A. Employed Boys' class in the Y. gym. last night by a score of 22 to 18. The score was 14 to 7 in favor of West at the end of the first half.

ENTHUSIASM SHOW BY BAYLOR ALUMNI

PROJECT TO BUILD GRANDSTAND
AND GYMNASIUM MEETS
WITH APPROVAL.

CAMPAIGN TO BE INAUGURATED

President of Association Will Name
Committee to Raise Funds.
\$300,000 Desired.

More enthusiasm than has greeted any other proposition that has been laid before Baylor alumni in recent years marked the reception of the plans for a permanent grandstand and bathhouse and a combination gymnasium and Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. by the alumni and former students who assembled in Carroll chapel last night in response to a call from Dr. Carl Lovelace, president of the association.

After the plans for the two structures had been laid before the meeting by C. A. Gantt, graduate manager of athletics, considerable discussion ensued, all of which was favorable to the undertaking of the campaign for funds for carrying out the project immediately.

The plan proposed by Mr. Gantt called for the construction of a permanent grandstand of reinforced concrete, or similar material, which should be covered, while under it there should be shower baths and other facilities for a proper care of the various athletic teams, lockers for the clothes of the teams, offices for the athletic managers, etc., and another building that should be a combined gymnasium and headquarters and assembly rooms for the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. In the latter building would be included a swimming pool.

Under the arrangement is proposed to provide for a certain amount of compulsory athletic or gymnasium training at the university, with the gym being used jointly by the boys and girls of the institution, one of them taking it for the first half of the week and the other for the last half. It was recognized by the majority of the speakers that the university should give more attention to the physical education of the present study as a whole instead of concentrating upon a few men constituting the major teams. The gymnasium will lay the basis for this reform.

Mr. Gantt has been figuring with architects on the cost of the building and the result is that it is estimated the grandstand and shower baths can be installed for \$5,000, while the gymnasium and Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. building can be erected at a cost of \$25,000. It is proposed that the sum of \$30,000 be raised by cash and subscriptions on the installment plan, the first \$5,000 to be used on the grandstand and baths and the other on the gymnasium. The first \$5,000 comes in. About \$10,000 in cash is on hand for the grandstand proposition and about \$1,000 has been raised in pledges. Both the students and alumni are very enthusiastic over the whole proposition.

Dr. Lovelace was instructed to appoint a committee of ten to conduct the campaign for the money needed and to have general charge of the plan and its fulfillment. He will take the personnel of the committee under advisement and then notify the members upon whom he decides. He is very much encouraged over the reception given the matter by the alumni last night. Homer Caskey of the Students' council announced that that body had gone on record as favoring compulsory instruction in physical culture for all first-year men as soon as the facilities for such instruction are afforded.

A letter from Earl B. Smyth of Mart, pledged \$100 to the project and a telegram from Tom Connolly of Marlin pledged a similar amount from him.

LOCAL COURTS.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
R. V. McClellan, Clerk.
Nettie B. Duncan vs. J. D. Williamson, sequestration; dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

L. Sanger et al vs. G. B. Landis, et al, suit for distribution of funds; judgment entered distributing funds amounting to \$10,735.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Munroe, Judge.
R. V. McClellan, Clerk.
No orders.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT

Erwin J. Clark, Judge.
R. V. McClellan, Clerk.
No orders.

COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.
Tom Bryant vs. A. A. Brubaker, suit for real estate commissions; jury verdict for defendant.

Adams & Washam vs. Southern Traction Co., damages; with jury.

SUITS FILED.

Seventy-Fourth District Court.
O. M. Shook vs. Esther L. Shook, divorce.
Etta Collins et al vs. Bruce Gregory et al; partition.

Fifty-Fourth District Court.

J. T. Ryerson & Son vs. L. Dillon, debt and foreclosure.

Seventy-fourth District Court.

S. W. Cohen vs. M. Kalk et al, debt.
A. V. Lowery vs. Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway company of Texas, damages.

Marriage Licenses.

J. B. Wells and Miss Cleary, Julie Green, J. C. Hack and Miss Ruth Bain, J. H. Stephens and Miss Minnie Loby, John La Carter and Miss Thelma Harris, Howard Honeycutt and Miss Bessie Guderian.

Peru Treaty Ratified.

Lima, Peru, March 5.—The arbitration treaty between the United States and Peru of July 14, 1914, designed to cover all questions which may arise between the two countries, was ratified yesterday by Foreign Minister Pola and the American minister to Peru, Mr. McMillan.

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Work to Commence on School for Girls at Gainesville Soon

According to Mrs. Edward Rotan, a member of the executive committee in charge of raising funds for the Girls' Training school which the committee has decided to build at Gainesville, work will commence on the building as soon as the plans are finally accepted.

The city of Gainesville gave grounds and money amounting to about \$10,000 for the school. The city were not called upon to give, nor was the city. This is considered a good showing. The committee has investigated similar schools in the north and east and it is intended to run the Gainesville institution on a high plane. The training school run by Miss Alice Falconer near Philadelphia is considered a model one and the matron of the Texas school will be given, if possible, a month's time at the school to study the system.

The school will be for delinquent girls, similar to the Gatesville school for boys. The plans for the building will be passed on soon and it is hoped to start work in the next sixty days. The state gave \$25,000 provided the citizens of Texas give \$25,000. Something more than the sum wanted was raised, insuring protection in case of a shrinkage of the subscriptions.

East Waco Team Victorious.

Yesterday was a good day for the East Waco basketball team, the boys defeating the Columbus street team 29 to 5, and the girls the Bell's Hill team 14 to 11. The East Waco players were: Girls—Roxie Surginer, Edna McCrory, forwards; Thelma McGee, Ruth Chumly, centers; Lois Caswell, Leona Vaughan, guards. Boys: John Abbott, Horace Lewis, forwards; Tommie Abbott, center; Hibe Fadal, Guy Picketts, guards; Carlton Baker, substitute. The Bell's Hill team was: Ethel Johnson, Mildred Francis, forwards; Lucile McCrory, Vivian Ames, centers; Lou Jean Hunt, Annie Flanagan, guards. The Columbus street team: Robert Chambers, Sam Symouse, forwards; Harold Sadler, center; Guy Lillard, John Yowell, guards.

Waco Woodmen Plan to Make Hard Fight for Next Meeting

Arrangements are being perfected for the going of the Waco delegation to the meetings of the head camp, jurisdiction C, Woodmen of the World, which begin in Fort Worth next Tuesday, March 10. The head camp will remain in session four days.

Considerable interest has been aroused among Waco Woodmen in the head camp meeting this year. Waco delegates will make a determined effort to capture the 1916 convention for this city. Several little advertising stunts are to be pulled off by the delegates from the Brazos, who will be on the job early and late. John Maxwell, city attorney, and formerly a member of the sovereign camp, will go up to the Panther City on Wednesday of convention week to aid the Waco delegates to surround the convention.

An invitation will be extended in the name of the city by Mayor Riggins, and the Y. M. B. L. and the Chamber of Commerce will also invite the Woodmen. Jurisdiction C, W. O. W., includes Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, having something like 20,000 members.

A good deal of political maneuvering will be developed by the regular election of delegates to the sovereign camp. In private letters to influential Woodmen over the jurisdiction, many members have already announced their candidacy. John K. Strecker Jr. of this city is a candidate for reelection as one of the sovereign delegates. He has represented this jurisdiction at the national convention several times.

W. E. Smith is the delegate from Geyser City camp No. 6 and George Tipton will represent Waco camp No. 2042 at the Fort Worth meeting.

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